PRIZE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Whirlwind Finish of the Republican Automobile Gold and Trip Contest Greatest Circulation Campaign Ever Conducted in the State of Arizona

MITCHELL TOURING CAR WON BY MRS. J. T. ETTER

Runs Score of Over Half Million Votes and Wins by a Margin of 57,000-Mrs. Byron Hartwell and Chas. B. Ingalls Strong Contenders for First Honors.

Phoenix, Arizona, March 11, 1912

The Arizona Republican,

Phoenix, Arizona,

Gentlemen:

We the judges appointed to canvass the returns in The Arizona Republican's Automobile, Gold and Trip Contest, have made such canvass. A list of winners, according to this canvass has been filed with The Republican and bears our signatures.

Mrs. J. T. Etter, District No. 2, Winner

Mrs. Byron J. Hartwell, District No. 1, Chas. B. Ingalls, District No. 1, Winner of \$100.00 Mrs. E. C. Bond, District No. 1, Winner of

Miss Leah Bennett, District No. 2, Winner Paul Gage, District No. 2, Winner of

Miss Maude Cummings, District No. 2, Winner of Trip 5,714 Votes

Miss Olive Nichols, District No. 3, Winner A. Ross, District No. 3, Winner of \$100.00. 98,761 Votes Miss Clara A. Roberts, District No. 3, Win-

ner of Trip 30,801 Votes

HENRY BASWITZ, HENRY MYERS, S. W. MARTO, F. A. BEANE, C. J. M'ELROY, A. L. BOEHMER.

THE VOTE SCORES

District No. 1-City of Phoenix

Satu	rday's	Votes cast	
Sta	nding	Saturday	Total
Mrs. Byron J. Hartwell	158,176	341,225	499,401
Chas. B. Ingalls	97,948	224,125	322,073
Mrs. E. C. Bond	86,765	41,875	128,640
Miss Georgie Ivy	37,041	34,425	71,466
John Reilly	34,164	10,000	44,164
Ray Ballinger	11,488		11,488
District No. 1-All Maricop		Outside of	Phoenix
Mrs. J. T. Etter	136,239	420,500	556,739
Miss Leah Bennett	88,021	104,500	192,521
Paul Gage		3,950	20,826
Miss Maude Cummings	2,764	2,950	5,714
Lloyd Stevenson	3,218	2,100	5,318
District No. 3-All of Arizo		pt Maricopa	County.
Miss Olive Nichols		61,025	100,956
A. Ross		25,250	98,761
Miss Clara A. Roberts			30,801

NUMBER OF NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS AVERAGING ONE YEAR EACH SECURED BY THE CONTESTANTS

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The great contest of The Arizona versa and not one mistake Republican—the heated but friendly found. They declared that not only rivalry among contestants for the had the records been kept accur-Mitchell touring car, \$1,000 in gold ately, but that under the system, the

awarding the prizes which have been It was evident up to the final

The judges selected were;

Estate and Investment company. Henry Myers, Advertising Manager



MISS LEAH BENNETT. in District No. 2

A. L. Boehmer, proprietor Boehmer's

The Bepublican force are congrat-



Phoenix, Winner of 2nd Prize District No. 1.

nounce the winners. They are men fore, won the trip without much efpected the contest system to a rigid | Miss Georgie lvy secured the investigation, and when they had fin- eighth highest vote in the entire conished pronounced it admirable and test-77,466-and fourth position in the best they had ever seen. When her district. Miss Ivy, John Reilly all the details incident to keeping and Ray Ballinger, as well as the the record had been explained they contestants in other districts who did adopted a number of severe tests not win prizes will be given cash by checking from the books and vice percentages.



MRS. E. C. BOND.

the contestants themselves and their Upon them developed the task of friends also kept a close watch.

so gallantiz fought for, and all or count of the ballots that there were them were men worthy of the taxa three strong contenders for the just as the winners are all worthy grand prize-the \$1,500 Mitchill tour-C. J. McElroy, Manager City Realty score of last Priday gave her a to department, Greene & Griffin Real tal of 556,739 and a margin of 57,33 Byron Hartwell, who piled up a scor of 499,401. These vote scores as

not until the votes had been rethe winner.

The third highest score was secure l by Chas. B. Ingalls, who cast 224,-

highest number of votes in their re-Glendale, Ariz. Winner of 1st Prize spective districts are awarded \$200 each. In District No. 1 Mrs. Byron. Hartwell is awarded the leading dis-District No. 2 is the leader after P. A. Beane, Advertising Manager, the award of the grand prize to Mr. lated the fourth highest score in the of circulation is confined to Phoenic vote proves this fact. Nichols won over her nearest dis- that will stick trict competitor by the close margin. The contest was conducted fairly them speaks volumes for all.

> The winners of the second district prizes (\$160 each) are, No. 1 Chas. B. Ingalls, No. 2 Paul Gage, and No.

> 3 A. Ross. The winners of the third district prizes (trips to the coast) are Distriet No 1 Mrs. E. C. Bond, District No 2 Miss Maude Cummings, and District No. 3 Miss Clara Roberts.

> Mrs. Bond secured the fifth highst score in the entire contest, her total running to 128,640 votes. The rivalry for fourth place in District No. 2 was not very warmly contested as the contenders had coaeded the winning of the grand prize to District No. 1 and had the automobile been won by a contestant in that district the trip to the coast to be awarded in District No. 2 would have fallen to the contestant who had won the second district

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL CON-TEST EVER CONDUCTED IN ARIZONA.

With the final announcement the winners, the most successful contest ever conducted in this section of the country comes to a close. It escirculation for the Republican, but created an immense amount of interest in Arizona, and afforded an opportunity for the contestants to secure an automobile, cash prizes, and trips. By far the largest number of subscriptions came from Phoenix and the Salt River valley. Candidates seemed to make an especial effort to get new orders in this locality,



MRS. J. T. ETTER, D. No. 1, Phoenix, District No. Grand Prize Winner.

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MRS. BYRON HARTWELL.

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District No. 2.

fort alone. There was no chance or luck about the winning-it was



onnection with the contest-that all test, I am could not win the grand prize. To nate all the features of interest, Arizona Republican, or competition which is prim- Phoenix, Arizona,

all of The Republican's contestants the rubbing elbows with the world

The Arizona Republican. Phoenix, Arizona, Gentlemen:

S. W. Marto, Advertising Manager, triet prize Miss Leah Bennett in Phoenis, Winner of 1st Prize in Diswith the voting contest, I desire to sure that whoever won the car would Dorris Heyman Furniture company. Etter. Miss Hennett made a very is sworth a humbred in the highway, many contests, this has been a most tainty I worked hard, enjoyed the Henry Baswitz Bazwitz Cigar Co. rapid advance during the last two It can be safely stated that fully successful one from a subscription work and the pleasant business and weeks of the contest and accumus eighty-five per cent of the increase point of view. The exceedingly large friendly relations which existed dur-

entire contest. Miss Bennett is and the Sull River valley. The re- The spirit of good-natured rivalry give up the business experience I awarded the leading district prize of suits of the contest from the adver- which characterized the contest we have had for a great deal. My trange The winner of the leading tisers' point of view are worth con- to the close has made the work a griends worked for me constantly, district prize in District No. 3 is sidering as it means new business, real pleasure and the loyalty evi-Miss Olive Nichols of Hayden. Miss profitable business and a business tenced by the friends of the sev-

> of The Republican for the past ten eeks must be very gratifying to on, and is in itself a tribute to the

> Please accept my thanks for the manifold courtesies extended during my stay and at this time, I want to express best wishes to you and to the faithful employes associated

Very truly yours, W. P. CORBETT. Contest Manage

THE CONTEST PERSONNEL The contest has been in charge

W. P. Corbett from the beginning Experienced in similar contests, and thoroughly familiar with every detail of the unique system under Ray, Ariz, Winner of 2nd Prize in recommendation which preceded his who completed their work accurate- fort. In the third district Miss Clara Mesa, Ariz. Winner of 2nd Prize in engagement by The Republican as a capable, trustworthy gentleman, He has conducted the contest with

has been his invariable rule in deala matter of work and persistency ing with the contestants and their and those who worked hardest and interests, and he leaves his work for The Republican in this memorable contest with the hearty good will of all the contestants, the best wishes A WORD OF THANKS TO CAN. of The Republican and the unqualified recommendation of its publishers to the entire confidence of the members of the "Fourth Estate."

Phoenix, Ariz., March 11, 1912. Arizona Republican, Phoenix, Arizona,

I desire to express my appreciation to my many friends who assisted me and extended their courtesies during my candidacy in The Republican Automobile, Gold and Trip contest. During my campaign I have discovered many true and staunch friends whom I heartily thank. have profited by the broadening busi

ness experience that meeting people

associated in various branches of

In competition all cannot win, it Assuring you of the high externa is the inevitable law in every walk I hold for The Republican and those of life. There is only one regret in associated in conducting the con-

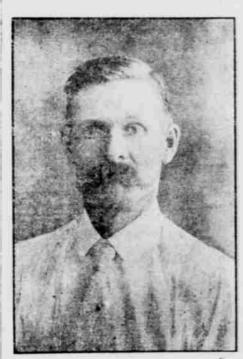
Phoenix, Arizona, Mar. 14, 1912.

It is my desire to thank the manars in the list today has contrib- agement of The Arizona Republican.

credit is due, and the Republican car is putting it very mildly. But takes this means of thanking each while I cannot say how pleased I and every one of them for their part, am, I wish to say that without the There are some disappointments Republican force, I could have done no doubt, there always are in ar-little. Until the official announce



In closing my work with your cir- night, I was not sure that I was state that in my experience covering win it honestly, and with that cer-



District No. 3.

and I certainly appreciate what they

Wishing The Arizona Republican the greatest success possible in the future, and again expressing my grai-Yours very sincerely,

MRS. J. T. ETTER



MISS CLARA ROBERTS.